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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Aaron ABBOTT, et al.

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EXAMINER: Beatriz Prieto

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month extension of time be granted to April 25, 2004 for:	
■ filing a response to the Official Action dated: November 25, 2003	
□ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:	
☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed	
□ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:	
□ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due	has been filed.
☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:	
The required fee of \$420.00 is enclosed herewith by check and any further charges may be made again Record's Deposit Account No. 50-1442. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.	nst the Attorney of

Respectfully submitted,

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Our check in the amount of \$506.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary extension of time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a request is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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1. BASIC FILING FEE										1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES									1403	290	2403	145	Request for Oral Hearing			
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1204	84	2204		43	*Reissue independent claims over original patent						1814	110	2814	55	Terminal Disclaimer	
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